



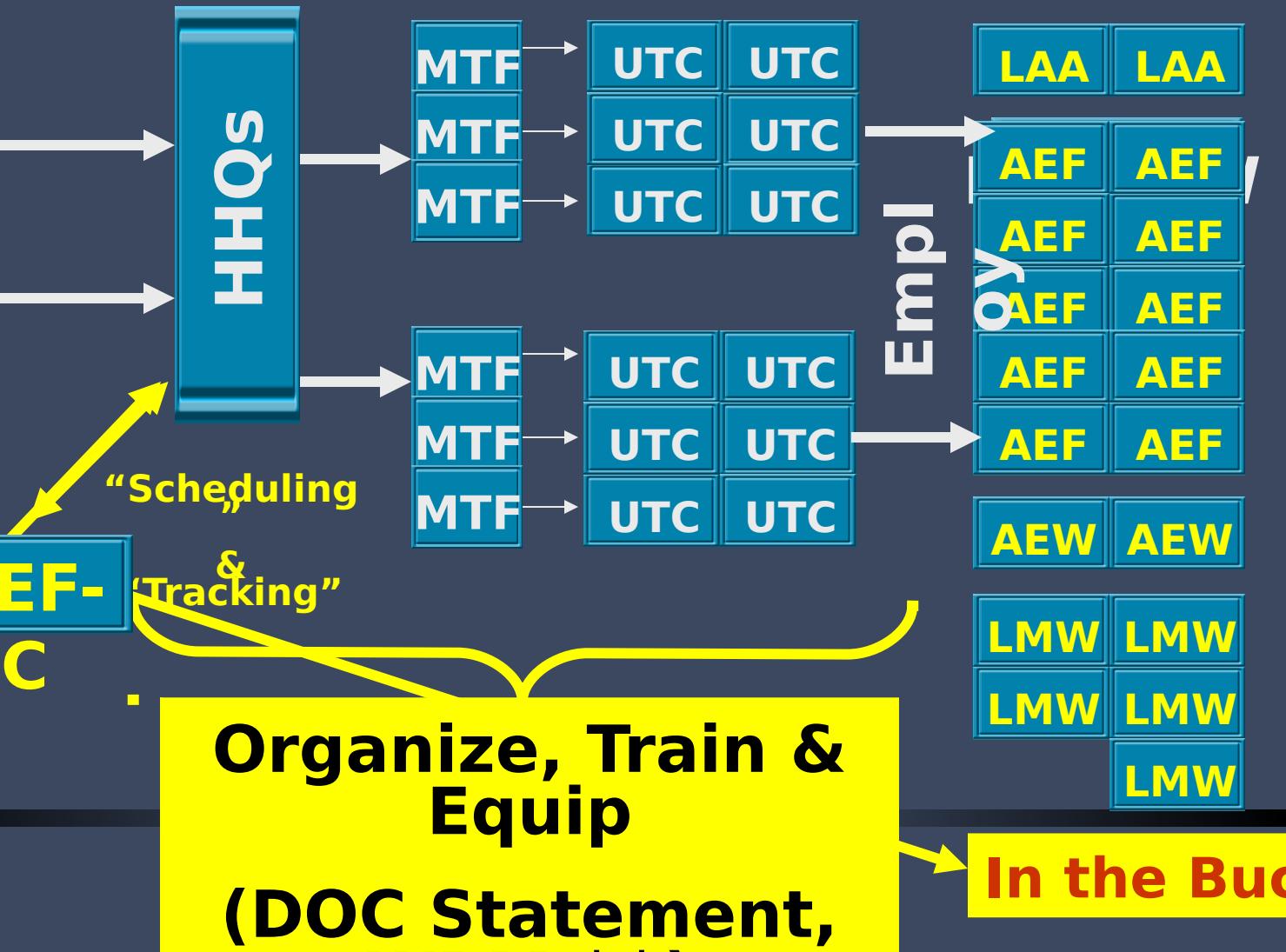
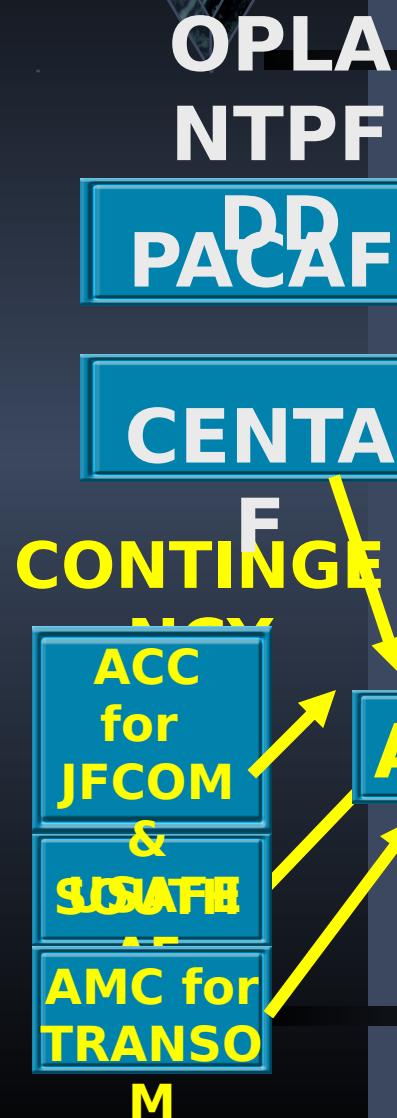
AFMS and the AEF

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HOW DO WE DEPLOY?





RADICAL DEPARTURE: THE “BUCKET” FOCUS ON SSC AND OPTEMPO

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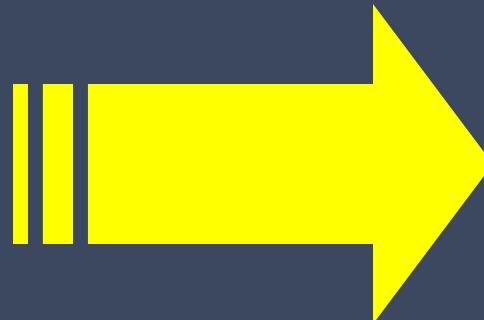
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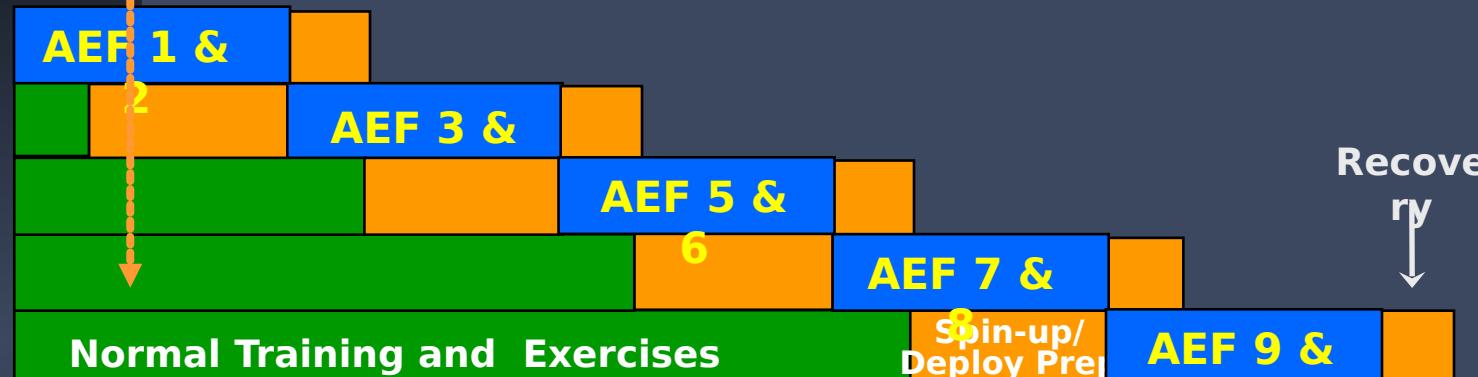
90 Day Period



AEF ROTATIONS - CYCLE 2

15 Month Cycle

Today



Dec 00 Mar 01 Jun 01 Sep 01 Dec 01¹⁰ Mar 02

10
Combat
Leads

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2 AEWs

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AIR FORCE VISION 2020

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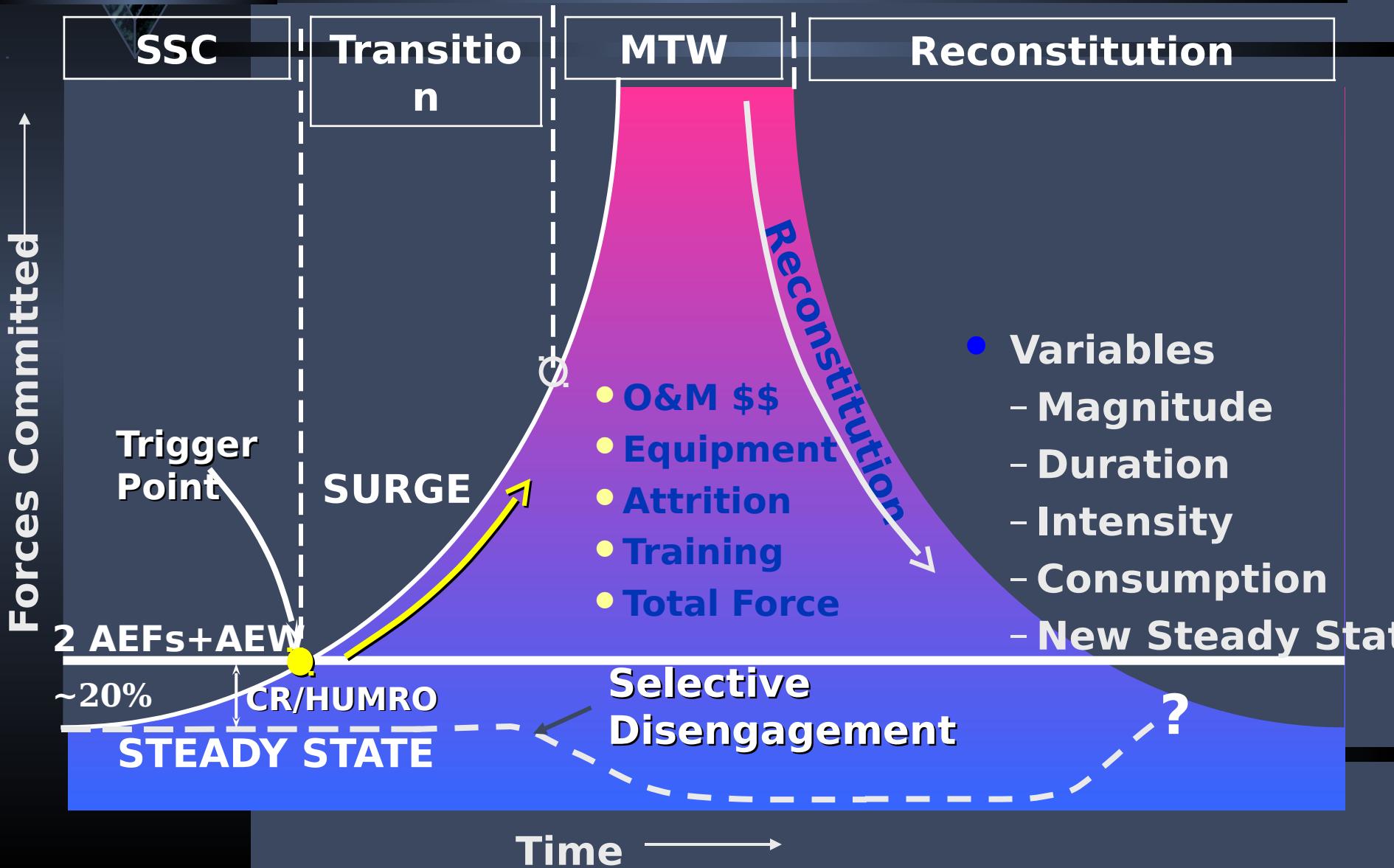
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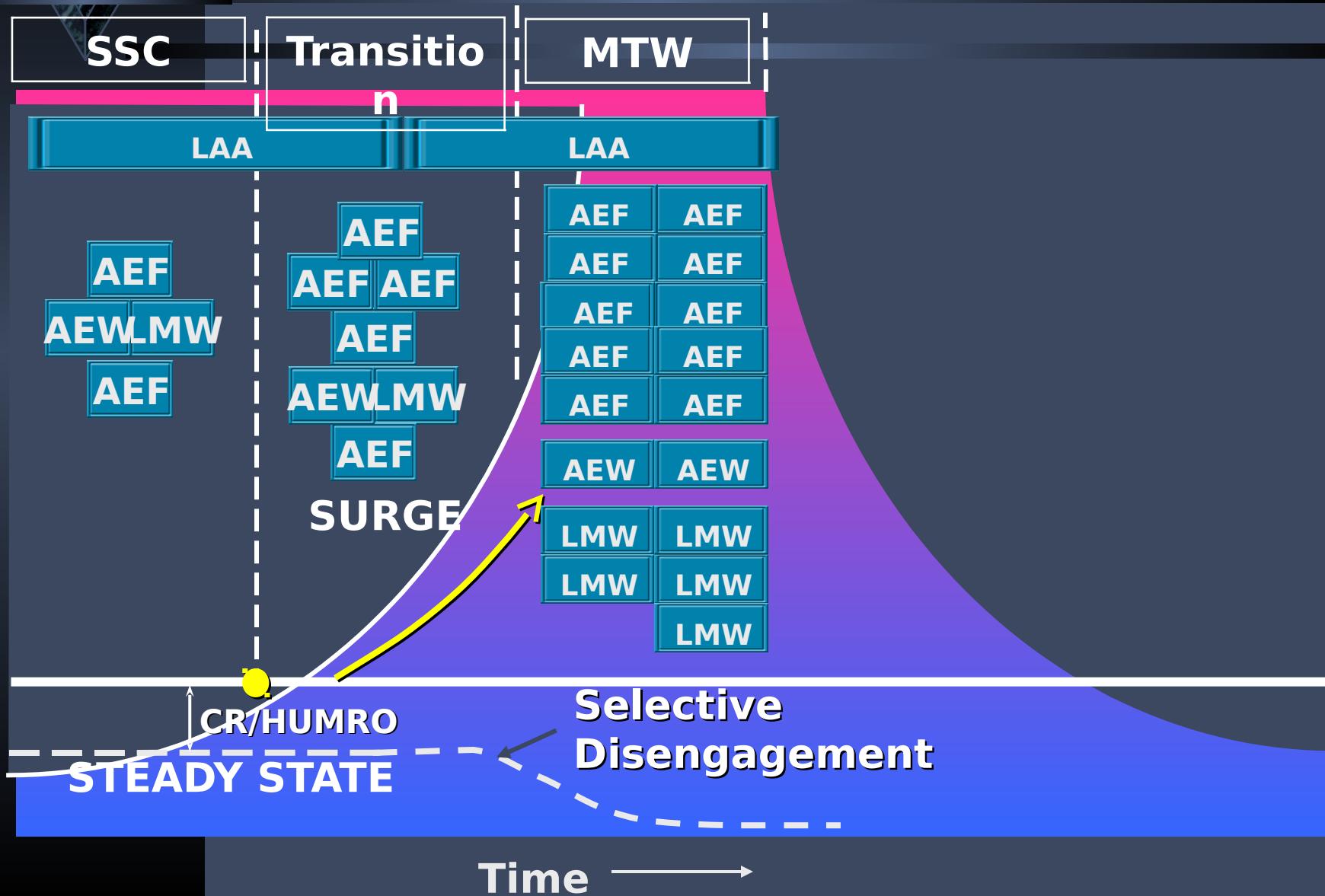


AEF ACROSS THE SPECTRUM





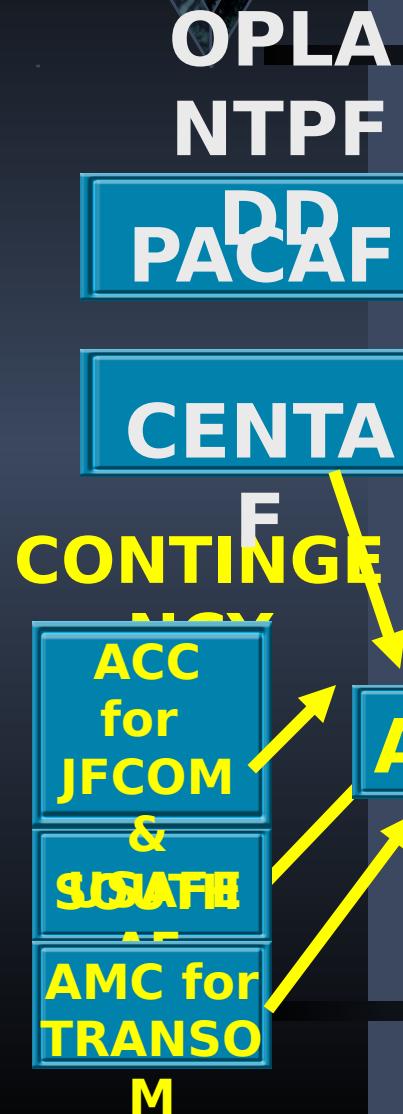
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TAYLOR'S BEEF

The Same Behavior As MTW And Palace Tenure!





TAYLOR: WHAT NEEDS TO CHANGE

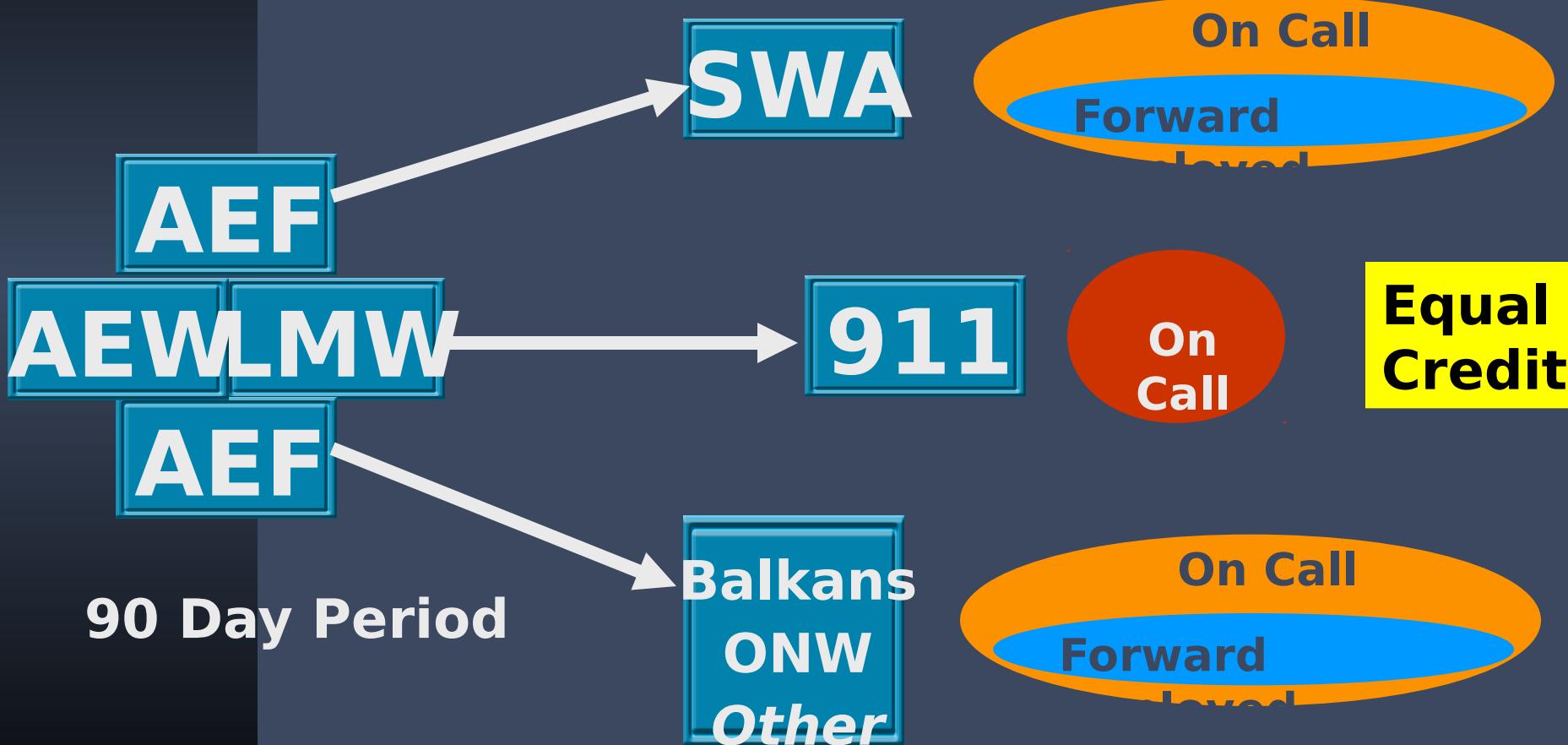
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Focus on Preparation

Train to Task!

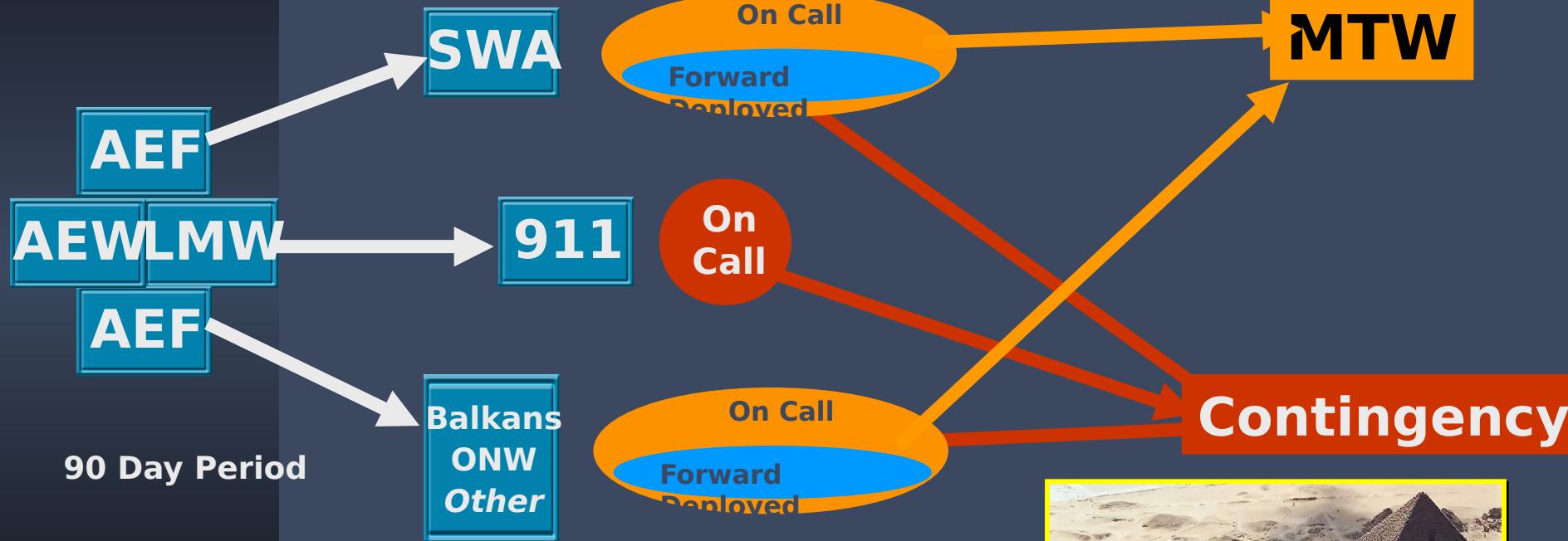


ABILITY TO FOCUS ON LOCATION





ABILITY TO FOCUS ON FULL-SPECTRUM: BY LOCATION & BY SPECIFIC MISSION





ABILITY TO FOCUS ON PREPARATION AEF ROTATION CYCLE

MAJOR COMMANDS

CINCs

Normal Training Period

- Maintenance & Modifications, Composite Force Exercises, Inspections, etc.

10 Months



Preparation Period

Site-specific Deployment Preparation

2 Months



Employ

- Deployment Eligibility

3 Months



Recovery

Trained to task for the warfighter



EAF VISION

A Construct Which More Effectively Exploits the Versatility and Responsiveness of Aerospace Power Through Changes In:

STRUCTURE



CULTURE



OPERATIONS



Organize Total Force into standing Aerospace Expeditionary Forces (AEFs) that provide a **more stable, predictable and available force**

Men and women with an “expeditionary and warrior mindset” who understand our mission is global
Bold, Decisive Leaders who excel in austere, high intensity environments

Innovative approaches and new technologies which make us light, lean and lethal
Rapidly employable worldwide



THREE PHASES OF EAF

- ✓ Phase 1: Aligning Airframes into Buckets
- ✓ Phase 2: Aligning Expeditionary Combat Support into Buckets
- Phase 3: Creating the EAF Culture....
.in every



Creating the EAF Culture....
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IMPLICATIONS

- The USAF operates on a 15-month “cycle”
 - Year is no longer the standard unit of Measure
 - **It's 15-months!**
 - Creating a Training and Preparation Cycle by UTC
 - “Train to Task”
- Phase 2: Creating an EAF Cultural Revolution

**The New Construct:
AEF, AEW and LMW!**

**Who is the Advocate for the EAF
Culture?**



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NEW CONSTRUCT

WHAT IS A LEAD WING?

- Certifier?
- Central Trainer?
- Tracker?
- Deployer: Command & Control
- *And what does a Lead Wing Medic do?*





MEDICAL READINESS TRAINING



Who Worries?

MAJCOM & Wing Worry

Force Package

Sustainment Tasked

MTW Location

UTC

MCRP

AFSC-Specific Airman

METLs?



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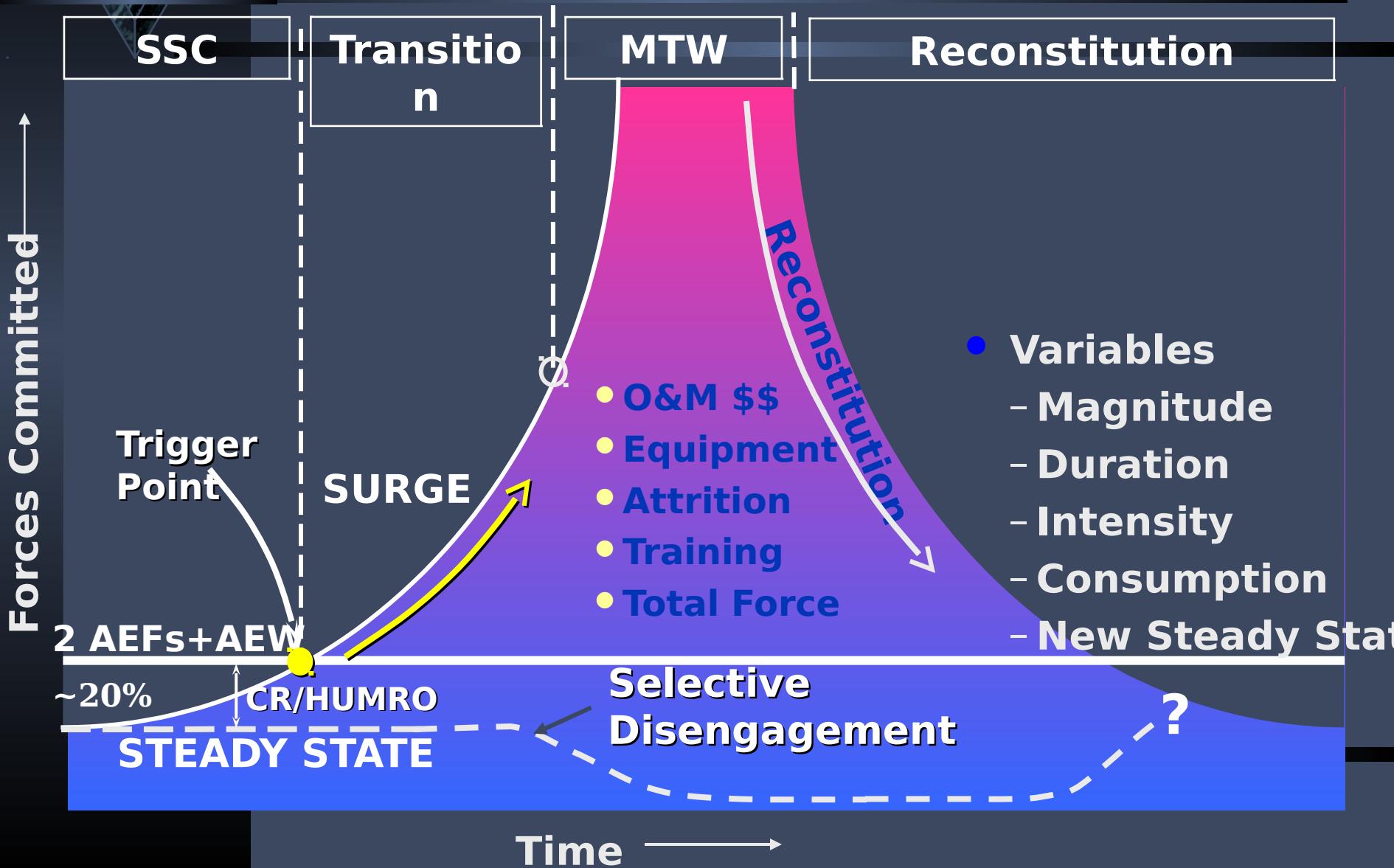
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ARE WE THINKING AEF?



A Vision for the 21st Century Air Force